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CLARIFICATION ON THE REOPENING OF THE TREASURY NOTES

- 3 1/2% Treasury Note of 02/15/2018
- 4% Treasury Note of 02/15/2015**
- 4 1/4% Treasury Note of 08/15/2015**
- 4 1/8% Treasury Note of 05/15/2015**
- ** The three securities noted above are subject to the original issue discount rule for tax purposes. The three securities will be subject to taxes if the price falls below the prices given below.
- 4% Treasury Note-\$98.50
- 4 1/4 % Treasury Note-\$98.50
- 4 1/8% Treasury Note \$98.50